533 Rec'd 2CT/PTO 13 SEP 2nm OCKET NUMBER U.S. DEPARTMENT MMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE FORM PTO-1390 (Modified) (REV 11-98) PD990014 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (IF KNOWN, SEE 37 CFR DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP00/02182 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 25March1999 (25.03.99) 3March2000(13.03 001 TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF DATA RECEIVED VIA A DATA BUS, AND APPARATUS FOR CARRYING OUT THE METHOD APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Siegfried Schweidler, Timothy Heighway, Klaus Gaedke Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)) at any time rather than delay 3. examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1). A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. Ø 4. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c) (2))  $\boxtimes$ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). a. 🗆 has been transmitted by the International Bureau. ъ. 🖾 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). ų"į A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). A copy of the International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210). Attached to Item 13 <u>- (X)</u> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) - X are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). a. 🛘 Ų)) have been transmitted by the International Bureau. ь. 🗖 have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. c. 🗆 have not been made and will not be made. ď.) A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. 🔎 An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)). 10. 🔯 A copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report (PCT/IPEA/409). 11. 🔯 A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 12. 🗖 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)). Items 13 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. with references attached Ø 13. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 14 K A FIRST preliminary amendment. Ö 15. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. A substitute specification. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 18. Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail 20. Return postcard receipt 19. 20xx Ekx Other items or information: X | CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR 1.10 EL685391650US September 13, 2001 "Express Mail" mailing no. Date of Deposit I hereby certify that this application is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. Davida Fornarotto

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